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October 4, 2010

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Bruce Evans  
Nephi Sandstone Corporation  
1250 North 200 West  
P. O. Box 137  
Nephi, Utah 84648

Subject: Cessation Order and Requirement to Immediately Reclaim, Nephi Sandstone, Soma Quarry, S/023/0065, Juab County, Utah

Dear Mr. Evans:

On July 8, 2010, the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining was notified by Liberty Mutual Insurance Company that reclamation bond would be cancelled 90 days from the Division's receipt of the notice. The Division subsequently wrote and told you that a replacement bond would need to be provided by September 6, 2010. If a replacement was not received by that date, the Division would issue a cessation order and require immediate reclamation of the mine.

The Division has not received a replacement reclamation bond; therefore, in accordance with the enclosed cessation order, you are ordered to immediately cease any mining operations and to reclaim the mine site. **You must provide a replacement surety or commence reclamation must be completed no later than November 5, 2010. If you do not provide a replacement surety, reclamation must be completed no later than December 10, 2010.** Failure to do so will result in issuance of another cessation order which will carry a fine of \$750.00 per day of continued non-compliance.

Please call me at 801-538-5261 or Wayne Western at 801-538-5263 if you have questions about this action.

Sincerely,

Paul B. Baker  
Minerals Program Manager

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Enclosure: Copy of letter to Liberty Mutual

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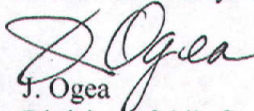
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Dear Mr Evans

Attached please find a copy of the letter to Liberty Mutual dated October 4, 2010

per the enclosure notification on the letter sent to you Certified Return Receipt

that inadvertently was missing this information. I apologize for the oversight.

  
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